



March 28, 2025

Hon. Vanessa Delgado, Chair
South Coast Air Quality Management District
21865 Copley Drive
Diamond Bar, CA 91765

RE: PLEASE OPPOSE – Proposed Amended Rules 1111 and 1121 - February 28 Versions

Dear Chair Delgado and Governing Board Members,

The Board of Directors of the Pasadena Chamber of Commerce and Civic Association opposes the proposed Amended Rules PAR 1111 and PAR 1112.

Despite the changes to the rules we remain opposed. While we do appreciate the amendments, they are simply not enough for us to support or even remain neutral about Rules 1111 and 1121.

SCAQMD Amended Rules 1111 and 1121 force higher costs on consumers. When people are faced with increasing costs for everyday needs, imposing rules that would significantly increase costs for heaters seems almost punitive.

We all recognize the impacts climate change is having on Southern California. We also understand that we all need to amplify our efforts to reduce greenhouse gas emissions. But, we need to balance that with cost considerations and an understanding of the impacts to everyday people and their household economies.

Thank you for your service to Southern California. Your time and expertise is very much appreciated.

The Board of Directors of the Pasadena Chamber of Commerce and Civic Association respectfully urges the AQMD Board to explore different approaches that balance air quality improvements with economic reality facing residents.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Paul Little". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Paul Little
President and Chief Executive Officer

cc: Members of the AQMD Governing Board